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Serial No. 10/665,260  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of

Kiichiro Ito

Serial No.: 10/665,260

Group Art Unit: 3677

Filed: September 22, 2003

Examiner: Ruth C. Rodriguez

For: STRING TYPE AIR DAMPER

Honorable Commissioner of Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Sir:

In response to Office Action dated July 24, 2007, please amend the above identified application as follows:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper. The amendments to the claims do not add new matter.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.